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 At a meeting held on 12 December 1952 the "Ligue des Anciens Combattants Hellenes" (League of Former Greek Soldiers), group of 1940-1945, elected the following executive committee:

Basil Georgiades - resides at 13, rue St. Genis¹

Manthos Papachristoforos - resides at 29, rue Naucratis¹

Aris Plumaritis - resides at 6, rue Serin (Camp Cesar)¹

Georges Dinastopoulos - resides at 7, rue Peluse

Georges Bonsalas - resides at 5, rue Ayoub

Emmanuel Papayannis - resides at 87, rue d'Abukir¹

Georges Antoniades - resides at 8, rue Shennas

Dimos Trassivoularidis - resides at 340, rue Malika

Jean Kavouras - resides at 1, rue Oig

Georges Vanos - resides at 7, rue Saad Zaghloul Fasha¹

2. A member, Elie Karayannis, moved that the League send a cable to the Vienna Peace Congress expressing their solidarity with the aims and purposes of the Congress. The motion was passed unanimously and the following message was sent:

"We, the former soldiers of the war of 1940-1945, with 1,500 members, send you our best wishes for the success of the Congress. Our families, who love peace, desire to participate with all their heart and we hope that all the people of the world will unite with us for the good of humanity."

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Comment. In January 1952 Mantos Papachristoforos, Georges Vanos, Aris Plumaritis, Emanuel Papayannis, and Basil Georgiadis were reported to be Communists

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